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1. [REDACTED] a group of 15 Chinese officers and soldiers, accompanied by 2 Indians and 5 Nepalese, were engaged in surveying in the vicinity of Olang Chung Gola¹, which is about fifteen miles south of the Nepal-Tibet border. In addition to their surveying, the Chinese soldiers were taking photographs of the countryside around Olang Chung Gola.

2. [REDACTED] the Chinese military authorities were making soundings of the bed of Tangra Tsho (N 31-00, E 86-22), a lake in central Tibet.

25X1X 1. [REDACTED] Comment. This is most probably Walungchung Gola (N 27-42, E 87-47), which is due north of Taplejung (N 27-22, E 87-40), in east-central Nepal.

25X1A [REDACTED] Comment. [REDACTED]
25X1X [REDACTED] Walungchung Gola has been an entry point from Tibet into eastern Nepal for Chinese Communist propaganda literature.

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